

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Original) A device for dispensing adhesive, with at least one adhesive container with an application arrangement arranged at the container outlet, characterized in that the application arrangement comprises an adhesive strip (4; 36) which has a number of dispensing openings (14a – 14g; 38a – 38d).
2. (Original) The device as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that a nozzle (10) is arranged between each adhesive container outlet (12) and the adhesive strip, which nozzle ends in the adhesive strip in a cavity (16), from where ducts (11a – 11g; 37a – 37d) lead to the dispensing openings (14a – 14g; 38a – 38d).
3. (Original) The device as claimed in claim 2, characterized in that the adhesive strip (4; 36) has rollers (15) arranged on both sides.
4. (Currently Amended) The device as claimed in ~~one of claims 1 to 3~~claim 1, characterized in that the adhesive strip consists of two parts (4A, 4B; 36A, 36B) and is provided with a coating which repels adhesive.
5. (Original) The device as claimed in claim 4, characterized in that the coating consists of Teflon®.

6. (Currently Amended) The device as claimed in ~~one of claims 1 to 5~~claim 1, characterized in that each adhesive container has a piston (6; 52), the front part (8; 53) of which is adapted to the inlet (9) of the nozzle (10).

7. (Currently Amended) The device as claimed in ~~one of claims 1 to 6~~claim 1, characterized in that it has two (2, 3) or three adhesive containers (2, 3, 35), which are interconnected via spectacle-type supports (17, 18; 40, 41).

8. (Currently Amended) The device as claimed in ~~one of claims 1 to 7~~claim 1, characterized in that the pistons (6) can be acted on with compressed air.

9. (Original) The device as claimed in claim 8, characterized in that the compressed air arrives at the piston via a push-button valve (23), a distributor (25; 39) and a quick-action ventilating valve (27).

10. (Currently Amended) The device as claimed in ~~one of claims 1 to 7~~claim 1, characterized in that the pistons (52) can be operated mechanically.

11. (Original) The device as claimed in claim 10, characterized in that the pistons can be operated by a driven threaded rod (45) arranged between the adhesive cylinders (43, 44), the threaded rod being connected to the pistons (52) via a nut piece (49) and piston connection (50).

12. (Currently Amended) The device as claimed in claim 10 ~~or 11~~, characterized in that the adhesive cylinder tubes (56) have a slot.

13. (Currently Amended) The device as claimed in ~~one of claims 1—3, 6—12~~claim 1, characterized in that the adhesive strip (57) is made in one piece from adhesive-repellent plastic and has a continuous longitudinal duct (62), in which the outlets (63 – 65) of the adhesive cylinders (59 – 61) end and from which the outlet ducts (67) to the dispensing openings (68) of the adhesive strip extend.

14. (Original) The device as claimed in claim 13, characterized in that a rectangular tube (70) is mounted on the housing of the adhesive strip (57), to which tube a transition piece (66) is attached for each adhesive cylinder.

15. (Original) The device as claimed in claim 14, characterized in that the transition piece has a funnel-shaped nozzle (9), the outlet (63 – 65) and a nut (12M) for attaching the adhesive cylinder.

16. (Currently Amended) The device as claimed in ~~one of claims 1 to 15~~claim 1, characterized in that the dispensing openings (14a – 14g; 38a – 38d, 68) are arranged asymmetrically in such a way in relation to the tapering end of the adhesive strip housing which faces the floor during use that they are located above the center.